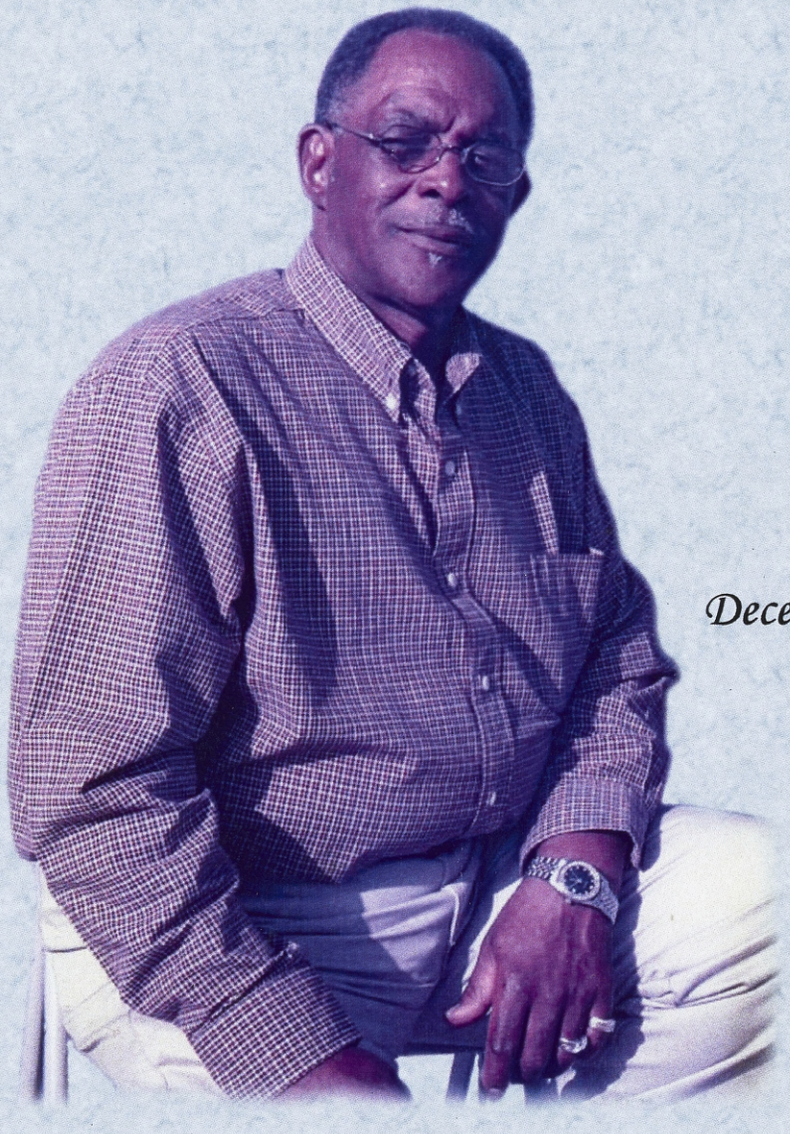
Celebrating The Life Of

David A. Crockett, Jr.



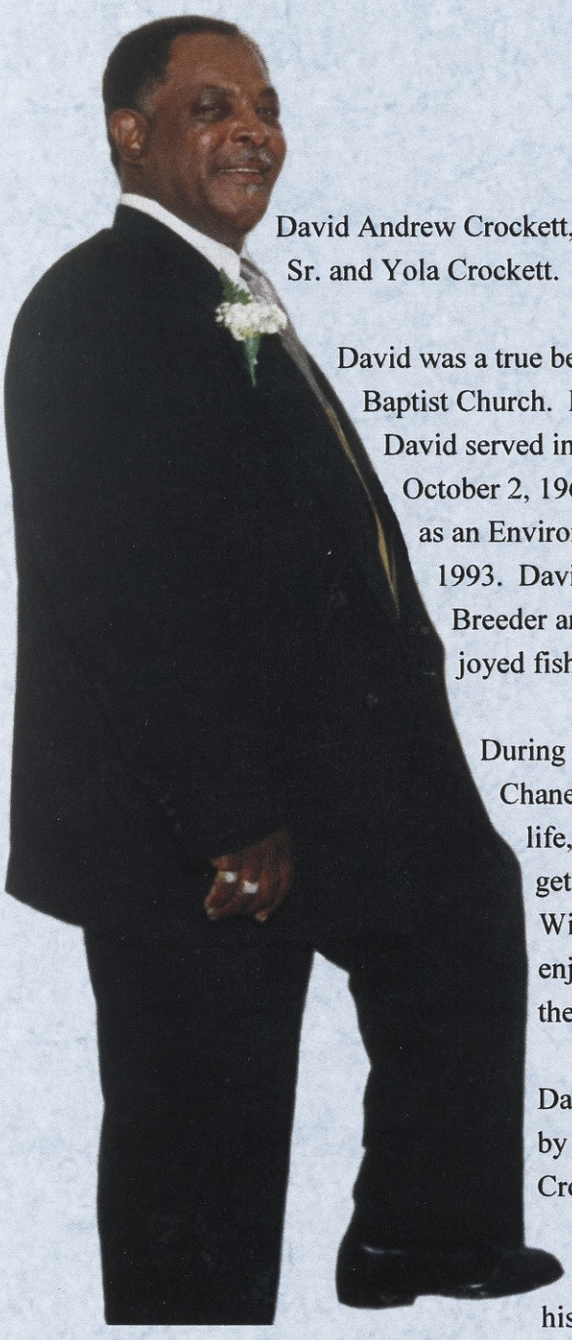
Sunrise:
May 22, 1945

Sunrise:
December 26, 2011

Services Held:
Tuesday January 3, 2011 11:00 A.M..
St. John Missionary Baptist Church
662 South 52nd Street - Richmond, California 94804

Officiating
Dr. Kevin B. Hall, Pastor and Officiator

Obituary



David Andrew Crockett, Jr., was born on May 24, 1945, in Richmond, CA to David A. Crockett, Sr. and Yola Crockett.

David was a true believer in God and was baptized at an early age at Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church. He was a graduate from Richmond High School in Richmond, CA. David served in the U.S. Army and in the Vietnam War from December 15, 1965 – October 2, 1967. After his duty, he worked for Chevron Chemical in Richmond, CA, as an Environmental Specialist. Over the years he moved up in ranks and retired in 1993. David was the Co-founder of the African American Rollers Club, Master Breeder and won numerous trophies for his championship rolling pigeons. He enjoyed fishing, raising pigeons and driving his El Camino.

During his previous marriages, he fathered Lovell, (preceded in death), Lorcee Chanel Crockett Lundy, and David III. Later in life he married the love of his life, Vernette Crockett. They enjoyed traveling, fishing, and camping together. They were blessed with four boys during this union. Twins Zaren William and Zachary Wilson, Zayden Mays, and Zian William. He truly enjoyed his young boys and shared his passion of raising pigeons with them.

David was called home on December 26, 2011. He was preceded in death by his parents David and Yola Crockett, brothers, James and Robert Crockett and son Lovell Crockett.

He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife Vernette Crockett, his loving children, Lorece Chanel Lundy (Kevin), David Crockett, III, Zaren Crockett, Zachary Crockett, Zayden Crockett, and Zian Crockett. Brothers: Noel Crockett, Stan Crockett, and Michael Crockett. Sisters: Del Crockett-Thomas, Valerie Crockett-Porter and a host of family and friends. He will be loved, remembered and missed by all who knew him.

Order of Celebration

Musical Prelude ..... Brother Steven Green

Processional ..... Clergy, Family and Friends

Scriptures Reading

Old Testament- Psalms 31:22; 49:15 ..... Minister Essie Beasley

New Testament-Revelations 21:4 ..... Minister Terry Anderson

Prayer ..... Minister Otis Harris

Solo ..... Brother Cedric Whigham

Acknowledgements ..... Sister Alexis Harris

Resolution ..... Sister Judy McCormie-Matthews

Obituary ..... Read Silently

Solo ..... Sister Jacqueline McBride

Poem ..... Sister Dominique Adams

Expressions (2 minutes Please) ..... Brother Mackenzie Williams
Brother Wayne Robinson
Sister Pam Harrison
Brother Steve Ball
Brother John Gant

Solo ..... Sister Jacqueline McBride

Words of Comfort ..... Dr. Kevin B. Hall, Pastor

Parting View ..... Wilson & Kratzer Mortuary

Recessional ..... Wilson & Kratzer Mortuary

Interment

Rolling Hills Memorial Park
4100 Hilltop Drive
Richmond, CA

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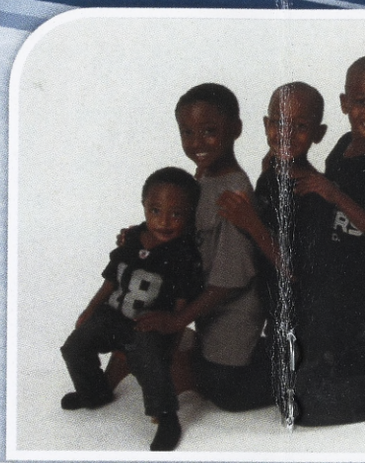
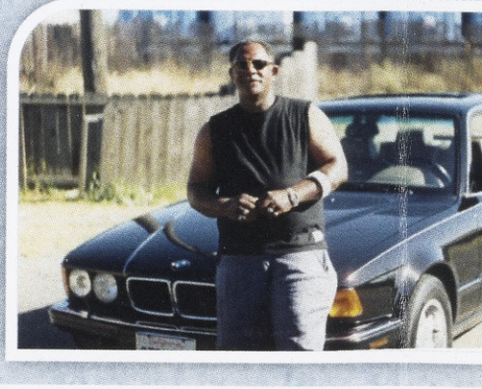
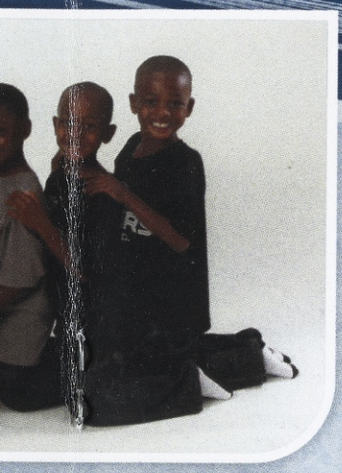
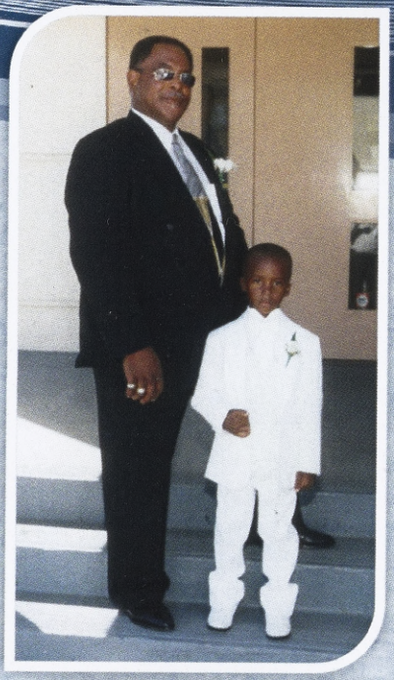
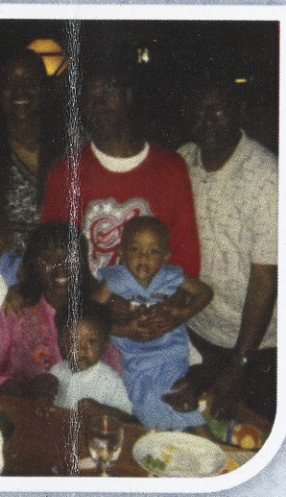


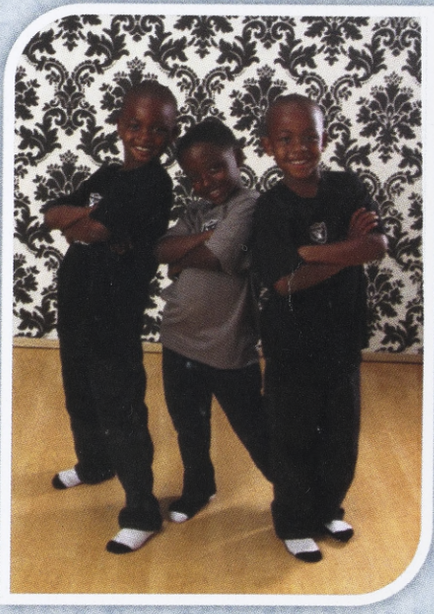
Just Keepin' It REAL!
MARGARITAVILLE
Wasting Away In Jamaica

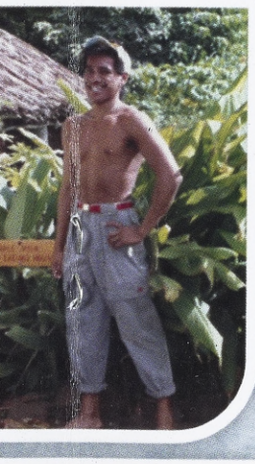












Dear Daddy,

I love you so much. I wish you were alive. The good times was when you said your going to take us to the [illegible] and you put me on your shoulders.

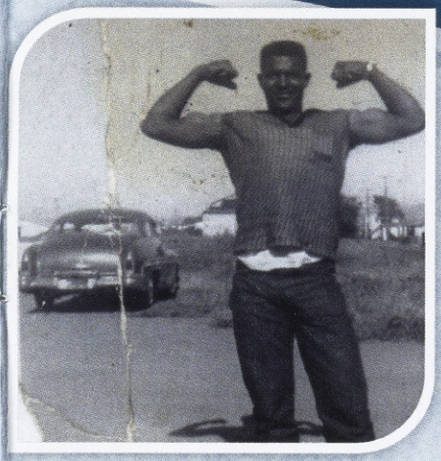
from
Zachary

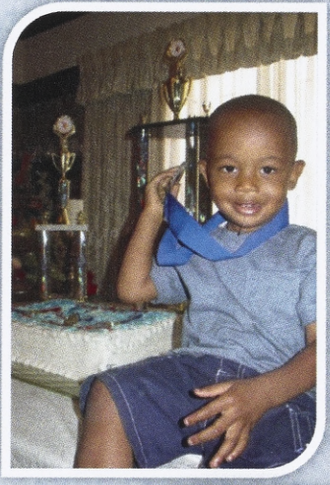
Dear DADDy,

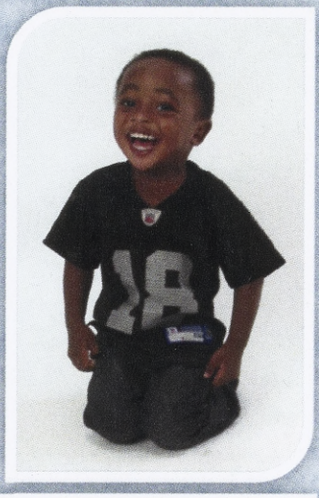
I was sad when you died. I wish you can stay alive for my hole life. I will keep you daddy in my prayers. I Love you so much. I liked when you were alive and put me on your shoulders at Disneyland I miss you so much. I did not want you to stop breathing. I will all ways have a place in my heart

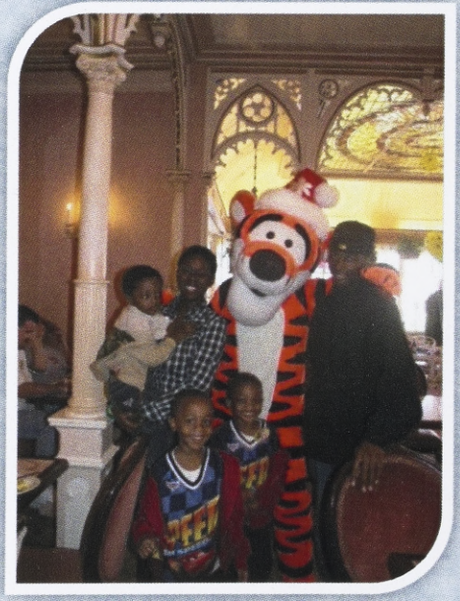
Zaren

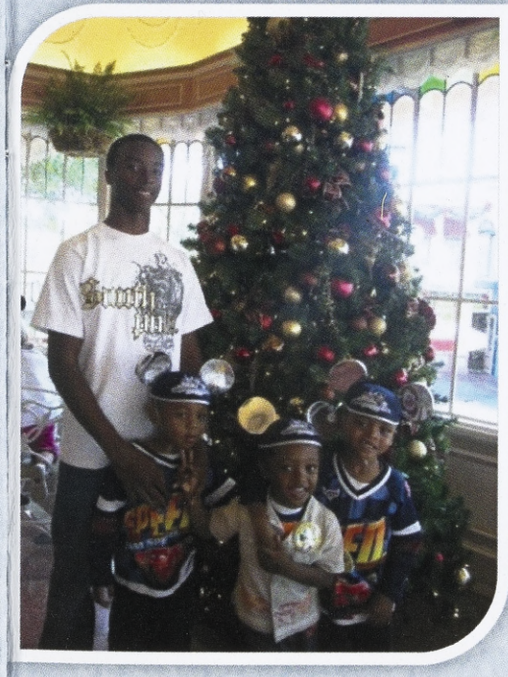
Dear Daddy
You are my favorite dad.
I am sorry you stopt breathing.
Love Zan

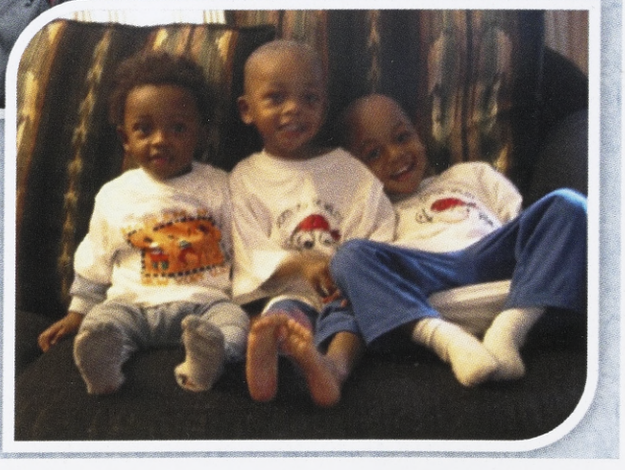












Active Pallbearers

Brother Stan Crockett, Jr.
Brother Apollo Crockett
Brother John Gant
Brother Tony Ray Crockett
Brother Jimmy Thompson
Brother Michael McCarthy

Honorary Pallbearers

Brother Michael Crockett
Brother Noel Crockett
Brother David Crockett III
Brother Zachary Crockett
Brother Zian Crockett
Brother Stan Crockett, Sr.
Brother Kevin Lundy
Brother Zaren Crockett
Brother Zayden Crockett

Acknowledgement

The Crockett Family would like to thank you for your many acts of kindest during our time of sympathy. Your prayers, calls, food dishes, and visits will remain with us. We ask that you continue to keep us in your prays as we continue to heal from our loss of our dad and husband.
~ The Crockett Family ~

We would like to send a special thank you to our St. Joseph's School family. Our hearts has been touched beyond words from all of the support and love. We are truly bless to be part of this wonderful loving school family.

"The Dash"

I read of a man who stood to speak at the funeral of his father...his friend
He referred to the dates on his tombstone from the beginning...to the end.
He noted that first came the date of his birth and spoke of the second date with tears, but he
Said that what mattered most of all was the dash between those years.
For that dash represents all the time that he spent alive on this earth, and now only those who loved him know what that little dash is worth.
For it matters not, how much we own; the cars. The house, the cash. What matters is how we live and love and how we spend our dash.
So think about this long and hard, are there things you'd like to change? For you never know how much time is left (You could be at "dash mid-range")
And...be less quick to anger and show appreciation more and love the people in our lives like we never loved before.
If we treat each other with respect, and more often wear a smile remembering that this special little dash might only last a little while.
So, when your obituary is being read with your life's actions to rehash...would you be pleased with the things they have to say about how you spend your DASH!

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